

Department of
SOCIAL SERVICES

Community Care Licensing

COMPLAINT INVESTIGATION REPORT

Facility Number: 455002049
Report Date: 05/20/2026
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STATE OF CALIFORNIA - HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY	CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES COMMUNITY CARE LICENSING DIVISION SACRAMENTO NORTH ASC, 9835 GOETHE ROAD, SUITE 100 SACRAMENTO, CA 95827
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This is an official report of an unannounced visit/investigation of a complaint received in our office on 11/17/2025 and conducted by Evaluator Ivan Avila

	COMPLAINT CONTROL NUMBER: 59-AS-20251117161325
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FACILITY NAME:	VISTAS ASSISTED LIVING & MEMORY CARE, THE	FACILITY NUMBER:	455002049
ADMINISTRATOR:	NATE ECHOLS	FACILITY TYPE:	740
ADDRESS:	3030 HERITAGETOWN DRIVE	TELEPHONE:	(530) 222-8969
CITY:	REDDING	ZIP CODE:	96002
CAPACITY:	100	DATE:	05/20/2026
	STATE: CA	TIME BEGAN:	08:50 AM
	CENSUS: 69	TIME	02:00 PM
	UNANNOUNCED	COMPLETED:	
MET WITH:	Nate Echols		

ALLEGATION(S):

1	Staff are administering oral liquids to a resident
2	Staff are not keeping medications in their original bottle
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INVESTIGATION FINDINGS:

1	On May 20, 2026, Licensing Program Analyst (LPA) Ivan Avila conducted an unannounced complaint
2	investigation visit regarding the above allegations directed by the Department. LPA Avila met with Nate
3	Echols and explained the purpose of the visit.
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5	During the investigation process, interviews and records review were initiated.
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7	LPA investigated the allegation, "Staff are administering oral liquids to a resident." Staff reported that
8	medications are given to residents as perscribed in the physician orders. Staff reported that hospice
9	residents are given medications as needed, which include liquid medications and staff follow physician
10	orders in administering the medication. Staff reported a resident can refuse the medication and staff will
11	then document the medication refusal and inform the resident's responsible party.
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Unsubstantiated	Estimated Days of Completion:
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SUPERVISORS NAME: Anthony Perez	
LICENSING EVALUATOR NAME: Ivan Avila	
LICENSING EVALUATOR SIGNATURE:	DATE: 05/20/2026
I acknowledge receipt of this form and understand my licensing appeal rights as explained and received.	
FACILITY REPRESENTATIVE SIGNATURE:	DATE: 05/20/2026

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NARRATIVE	
1	LPA investigated the allegation, “Staff are not keeping medications in their original bottle.” Staff reported
2	that all staff adhere to their company policy regarding medications. Staff reported that in instances
3	where residents are going on vacation, away from the facility with family, the original medications are
4	signed out by family members and documented. Staff reported that a form is signed by both staff and
5	family which documents the amount of medication being signed out and an audit is performed before
6	and after the resident returns from their trip.
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8	Based on interviews conducted and record review, the preponderance of evidence standards has not
9	been met. Therefore, the above allegations are found to be <i>UNSUBSTANTIATED</i> . Findings that the
10	complaint is Unsubstantiated means that, although the allegation may have happened or is valid, there
11	is not a preponderance of the evidence to prove that the alleged violation occurred.
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13	An exit interview was conducted, and a copy of the report was provided.
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